## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

*Notice, dated 10th April 1896.*

Descriptive roll of accused Murti, concerned in a murder case that occurred at Torehosur, Channapatna Taluk, Crime No. 2—39 of 1895-96.

Name—Murti.
Age—23 years.
Father's Name—Lakshmi Narasimhachar.
Caste—Vaishnava Brahmin.
Residence—Abbur, Channapatna Taluk.
Complexion—Brown.
Height—5 feet, 5 inches.
Other marks of identification—Lean man, long face. Has got long "juttu" (lock of hair) palms small, fingers long, toes long and open, nose round and flat, wears panches and black coat.

Places likely to visit—Ikkallu, Nijagal, and Narasapur in the Tumkur Taluk, where his maternal uncles reside; he may also go to Bangalore, Mysore and Mangalore.
He was last seen with his cousin Kitta *alias* Narasimha 5 or 6 days after the Ugadi feast.
Has married the daughter of one Somanataiya of Naukal in the Salem District.

M. SHAMA RAO, for *Dy. Comr., Bangalore.*

## TUMKUR DISTRICT.

*Notification, dated 17th April 1896.*

It is hereby notified for general information that the lac contract of all the Government jungles (excluding the marginally noted State Forests) in the following Taluks of the Tumkur District for the year 1896-97, *i. e*, from 1st July 1896 to 30th June 1897 will be sold by public auction on the 1st June 1896, at Tumkur before the Deputy Commissioner or the Assistant Commissioner, appointed in that behalf, at 12 noon.

1. Devarayadurga
2. Maddagiri
3. Kolikal
4. Bukkapatna
5. Manchaldore
6. Huliyurdurga
7. Kudarekanave
8. Tirtharampura
9. Kempalapura

1. Tumkur.
2. Maddagiri.
3. Chiknayakanhalli.
4. Sira.
5. Gubbi.
6. Tiptur.
7. Pavagada.
8. Kunigal.
9. Koratagere.
10. Huliyar.
11. Turuvekere.

2. The highest bidder shall, immediately on the contract being knocked down to him, pay a deposit either in ready money or currency notes, equal to the amount of four monthly instalments of the entire contract amount. If he fails to do so the contract will be re-sold at once at his risk and he will be liable for any loss that may be caused to Government by the re-sale.

3. The accepted bidder shall enter on his contract on 1st July 1896 and shall pay his first monthly instalment on or before the 15th August 1896 and all subsequent monthly instalments on or before the 15th of each successive month, such monthly payments being made without reference to the amount deposited. Instalments not paid within the date fixed will be charged with interest at 6 per cent per annum from due date to date of payment.

4. Local cess of one anna per rupee will be charged on the monthly instalments to be paid by the contractor.

5. Should there be failure or delay in the payment of the said instalments for two consecutive months, the contract will be liable to be cancelled summarily and re-sold at the risk of the defaulting contractor, the deposit amount being forfeited to Government and any arrears due being recovered as land revenue.

6. The contractor should not cut, remove or damage the lac trees from which he obtains lac.

7. Should any land containing jalari trees and unoccupied at the time of the sale be taken up for cultivation during the currency of the contract, the contractor shall have the right to collect lac from such trees up to the close of his contract.

8. The Deputy Commissioner reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reasons for doing so.

M. NARAIN RAO, *Dy. Comr.*

## CENTRAL JAIL, BANGALORE.

*Notice, dated 4th April 1896.*

Required for the Bangalore Central Jail from 1st July 1896, a Jamadar and Drilling Officer salary Rs. 25 per mensem. Applicants should be of good physique and hold a certificate in drill. Preference will be given to retired men of the Military Department. Applications with copies of testimonials, which will not be returned, should be addressed to the undersigned before the 1st of June 1896.

D. A. CHOKSI, *Superintendent.*